

Victor Cullen Center (State-Operated)

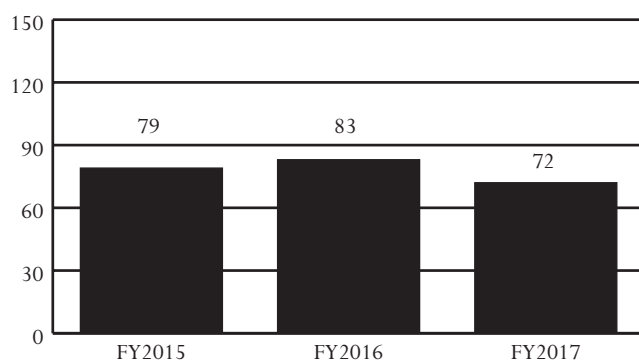
Superintendent: Johnitha McNair (Interim)
Rated Capacity: 48 Males

Hardware Secure - Region III - Western

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The Victor Cullen Center (VCC) was originally a sanatorium for tuberculosis patients named after the physician in charge of the institution, Dr. Victor F. Cullen. In July 2007, VCC reopened under state administration as a regional committed treatment center. VCC is a secure facility for delinquent males primarily serving youth ages 15-18 in a six- to nine-month treatment program for mental health and/or substance abuse issues. The facility offers programming that includes the Seven Challenges drug treatment program and CHALLENGE, DJS' behavioral management program. Youth receive individual and group substance abuse interventions, and outpatient and early intervention substance abuse treatment are also available. Individual and family counseling are offered for every youth, as well as psychiatric services. All youth participate in START: an evidence-based, cognitive behavioral group intervention focused on developing youth's social skills, anger control, and moral reasoning. Regular family interaction is encouraged with visits, phone calls, and family days. Educational services are provided by MSDE on a 12-month schedule, with six hours of daily instruction five days a week in English, mathematics, science, and social studies, OSHA certification, and individualized programs to prepare youth for the GED exam.

PLACEMENTS, FY 2015-2017



PLACEMENTS BY DEMOGRAPHICS, FY 2015-2017

Demographics	FY2015	FY2016	FY2017
Race/Ethnicity			
Black	81.0%	84.3%	75.0%
White	8.9%	12.0%	16.7%
Hispanic/Other	10.1%	3.6%	8.3%
Sex			
Male	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Female	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Age			
11 and under	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
12	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
13	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
14	0.0%	3.6%	2.8%
15	21.5%	10.8%	16.7%
16	35.4%	19.3%	25.0%
17	34.2%	42.2%	27.8%
18-20	8.9%	24.1%	27.8%
Total Placements	79	83	72

- **Placement Trends:**
 - Placements decreased 8.9% between FY 2015 and FY 2017 and decreased 13.3% between FY 2016 and FY 2017.
- **Region of Residence (FY 2017):**
 - 100% of the placements were from regions within Maryland. There were no juveniles from Out-of-State.
- **Offense Type (FY 2017):**
 - The most common offense type for juveniles placed in FY 2017 was Robbery (26.4%).
- **Offense Category (FY 2016-2017):**
 - The percentage of Crimes of Violence increased from 47.6% to 50.0%
 - The percentage of Felonies decreased from 14.6% to 9.7%
 - The percentage of Misdemeanors decreased from 37.8% to 37.5%
 - See the *Terms and Concepts* section for an explanation of felony and misdemeanor as the definitions are helpful when examining offense severity.
- **Average Daily Population:**
 - ADP decreased 24.4% between FY 2015 and FY 2017 and decreased 8.2% between FY 2016 and FY 2017.
- **Average Length of Stay:**
 - The average LOS decreased 13.5% between FY 2015 and FY 2017 and increased 6.2% between FY 2016 and FY 2017.
- **Utilization Rate (FY 2016-FY 2017):**
 - Victor Cullen Center's utilization rate decreased from 63.8% in FY 2016 to 58.5% in FY 2017 (based on the facility's rated capacity).

PLACEMENTS BY OFFENSE, FY 2017

Most Serious Adjudicated Offense	FY2017
Offense Type	
Arson	0.0%
Auto Theft/Unauthorized Use	2.8%
Burglary/Breaking & Entering	6.9%
Carjacking	6.9%
Conspiracy to Commit Offense	5.6%
Deadly Weapon	1.4%
Disturbing the Peace	2.8%
First Degree Assault-Felony	6.9%
Handgun Violation	0.0%
Malicious Destruction	2.8%
Manslaughter	0.0%
Motor Vehicle/Traffic	1.4%
Murder	4.2%
Narcotics (CDS-Felony)	1.4%
Narcotics (CDS-Misdemeanor)	1.4%
Other/Missing ¹	1.4%
Resisting Arrest	0.0%
Robbery	26.4%
Second Degree Assault-Misdemeanor	12.5%
Sex Offense	0.0%
Theft Felony	0.0%
Theft Misdemeanor	12.5%
Trespassing	1.4%
Unspecified Misdemeanor	1.4%
Offense Category	
Crime of Violence*	50.0%
Felony	9.7%
- Person-to-Person	0.0%
- Property	2.8%
- Drugs	1.4%
- Unspecified	5.6%
Misdemeanor	37.5%
- Person-to-Person	18.1%
- Property	18.1%
- Drugs	0.0%
- Unspecified	1.4%
Ordinance Offenses	0.0%
Citations	2.8%
CINS	0.0%
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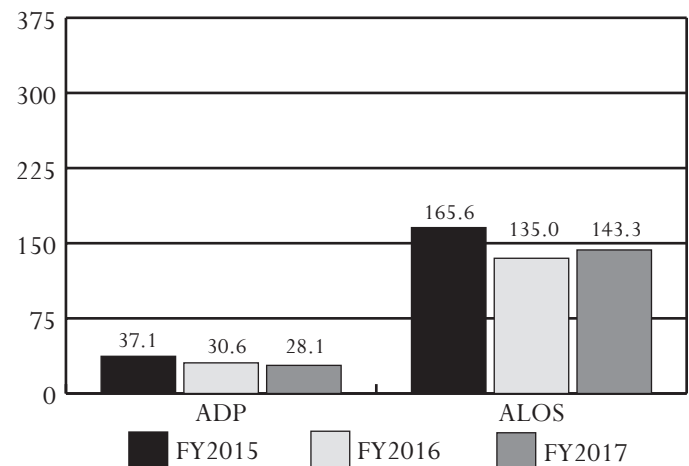
¹ Includes: BB Gun/Pellet Gun, Child Abuse, Destructive Devices, Electronic Email Abuse, Escape, False Report, Fraud, Harassment, Reckless Endangerment, Ungovernable, and Unspecified Felony.

* See Appendix K for a description of Crimes of Violence

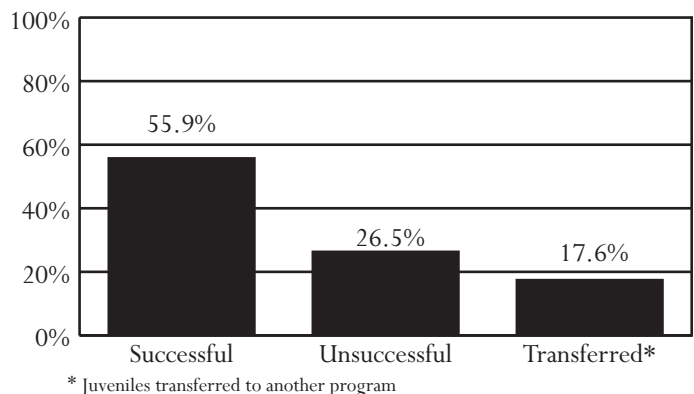
PLACEMENTS BY REGION OF RESIDENCE, FY 2015-2017

Region	FY2015	FY2016	FY2017
Reg-I - Baltimore City	27.8%	34.9%	27.8%
Reg-II - Central	12.7%	10.8%	16.7%
Reg-III - Western	1.3%	6.0%	4.2%
Reg-IV - Eastern	10.1%	3.6%	8.3%
Reg-V - Southern	7.6%	10.8%	9.7%
Reg-VI - Metro	38.0%	28.9%	33.3%
Out-of-State	2.5%	4.8%	0.0%
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AVERAGE DAILY POPULATION AND AVERAGE LENGTH OF STAY, FY 2015-2017



RELEASES BY COMPLETION STATUS, FY 2017



ASSIST is a live database; therefore, updates made subsequent to this data being run will not be included. Percentages may not add to 100% due to rounding. Data may not be comparable to previous Data Resource Guides due to methodology changes. VOPs are categorized by the original offense.